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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (158-76)

DATE: 12/26/61

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (158-12)

SUBJECT: CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING
AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF
1959 - SECURITY MATTER
(OO: CHICAGO)

ReBulet to Chicago dated 12/6/61, and report of SA ROBERT FRANCIS BARRY captioned "COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF UNITED PACKINGHOUSE, FOOD AND ALLIED WORKERS (UPFAW), AFL-CIO, IS - C", dated 11/17/61, at Chicago.

Page 17 of referenced report reflects that CG T-18 (who is [redacted] advised on April 22, 1957, that it is doubtful that CHARLES HAYES would currently retain his membership in the Communist Party (CP) in view of his position in the UPFAW, although he was a member of the Party's then Packing Division at Chicago some four or five years ago.

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It is noted that the above information was included in the report of SA GROVER C. THOMPSON captioned "CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES, LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT-1947; (SECURITY MATTER)" dated May 10, 1957, at Chicago.

No additional information has been developed subsequent to October, 1960, establishing CP membership on the part of HAYES within the past five years.

There are no outstanding leads in this case and case is being closed.

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coupled with CP activities, should be included in this report.

Careful consideration has been given to each source concealed and T symbols were utilized in this report only in those instances where the identities of the sources must be concealed.

This report is classified confidential because data reported from CG T-1, CG T-3 through CG T-5, CG T-7, CG T-8, CG T-10, and CG T-11 could reasonably result in the identification of confidential informants of continuing value and compromise the effectiveness thereof.

Eight agent hours were used to prepare this report.

The information contained in instant report as obtained from [redacted] on July 27, 1958 placing HAYES in the CP to his knowledge, until 1 1/2 to two years ago, is not corroborated by information furnished by other sources or informants. [redacted] as is known to the Bureau in connection with the Cominfil of the UPWA case, has little love for HAYES since he considers HAYES in part responsible for his discharge from his UPWA job. With respect to [redacted] the July 27, 1958 interview with him was for the purpose in part of ascertaining if he knew of HAYES' CP membership to his own knowledge and he said it was.

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CG T-2 [redacted] [redacted] (requested)	100-18701-568
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Copy to:

Report of: SA LELAND G. RICHIE
Date: 2/16/60

Office: Chicago

File Number: CG 158-12

Title: CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES

Character: LABOR - MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959;
SECURITY MATTER

Synopsis:

HAYES resides at 5471 South Ingleside and is the Director of District One of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, AFL-CIO, both Chicago, Illinois. HAYES reportedly a member of the Communist Party (CP), USA, from 1955 to 1958. During 1959 HAYES stated he had some past connections with the CP. HAYES testified at the House Committee on UnAmerican hearings held at Chicago on May 5-7, 1959, and stated he was not a current member of the CP, but declined to answer whether he had been a former member.

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DETAILS:

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

The Communist Party (CP), USA has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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I. BACKGROUND

Birth

CHARLES HAYES was born on February 17, 1918 at Cairo, Illinois.

(Illinois Bureau of Vital Statistics, Springfield, Illinois, February, 1949).

Employment

HAYES is the Director of District Number One of the United Packinghouse Workers of America (UPWA), AFL - CIO, with headquarters at 4859 South Wabash, Chicago.

(CG T-1 on 1/27/60).

Residence

HAYES resides in an apartment at 5471 South Ingleside, Chicago.

(CG T-2 on 1/27/60).

II. AFFILIATION WITH LABOR UNION

Position

HAYES is the Director of District Number One of the UPWA with headquarters at 4859 South Wabash, Chicago.

(CG T-1 on 1/27/60).

III. AFFILIATION WITH CP, USA

During the spring of 1955 the Illinois - Indiana District CP leadership considered naming HAYES to serve on the Illinois - Indiana CP Trade Union Commission.

(CG T-3 on 5/25/55).

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During December, 1955 the leadership of the Illinois - Indiana District of the CP reportedly considered HAYES to be one of the key CP members in the UPWA.

(CG T-3 on 12/23/55).

CG T-3 stated that he could not, to his own knowledge, say that HAYES was in fact a member of the CP, but that leaders of the Illinois-Indiana District of the CP did contact HAYES from time to time and spoke of him as though he were a CP member.

CG T-3 stated that the CP felt that it could "use" HAYES and that from an ideological standpoint HAYES was undoubtedly a Communist.

(CG T-3 on 4/10/56).

During October, 1956 OSCAR BROWN, JR., the UPWA District One Program Co-ordinator, a CP member, and ISADORE RICHARD DURHAM, UPWA National Program Co-ordinator, a CP member, considered HAYES to be one of the CP members of the Illinois-Indiana District of the CP in the UPWA.

(CG T-3 on 10/20/56).

During February, 1957 a CP member holding a semi-leadership position in the Illinois-Indiana District of the CP, stated that HAYES was a CP member.

(CG T-3 on 3/1/57).

The leadership of the CP of Illinois of recent date decided that CP members in the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) would work to have HAYES elected as a vice-president of the Chicago Branch of the NAACP. However, CLAUDE LIGHTFOOT, Chairman of the CP of Illinois, subsequently indicated that the CP should probably not support HAYES in his efforts to be elected as a vice-president of the NAACP in view of a letter submitted to AFL-CIO President GEORGE MEANY in which it was charged that the UPWA was dominated by the CP.

(CG T-3 on 10/28; 11/12/58).

The Illinois-Indiana CP District, in late 1955, as part of its United Front Program, designated the Chicago Branch of the NAACP as a point of concentration in non-Communist "right led" organizations in the Chicago area. The CP accordingly instructed many of its members to join the NAACP and to become active in it in order to influence its program, particularly on civil rights issues and for the further purpose of making new contacts among Negroes. As of April, 1957 this program was still continuing.

(CG T-3 in 4/57).

The public hearings scheduled to be held on May 5-7, 1959 at Chicago by a Subcommittee of the House Committee on UnAmerican Activities (HCUA), at which testimony regarding the Communist influence within the UPWA is to be offered, was a recent topic of discussion by the leadership of the CP of Illinois. Some of the UPWA personnel subpoenaed to testify have been contacted by leaders of the CP at Chicago regarding their contemplated appearances before the Committee. However, HAYES has refused to talk with representatives of the CP. This attitude on the part of HAYES, according to the CP leadership, was not entirely unexpected, inasmuch as he has for the past two years, shown some reluctance to cooperate with the CP.

(CG T-3 on 4/21/59).

A highly placed ^{JUNE,} leader of the CP of Illinois, during the latter part of 1959, stated to another CP member, that the CP members in the UPWA had little feeling of security since HAYES was now opposed to Communism and the CP.

(CG T-3 on 6/29/59).

HAYES, in December, 1957, was described as reportedly being affiliated with the CP of Illinois.

(CG T-4 on 12/9/57).

One of the leaders of the CP of Illinois, during May, 1958, asserted that the CP had enjoyed a high degree

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of control in the UPWA through certain persons in the UPWA and one of these persons was HAYES.

(CG T-4 on 5/14/58).

HAYES was a member of the CP until 1½ to 2 years ago. HAYES is currently being sent by the CP as a representative of the UPWA into "community work" in the Hyde Park area in Chicago with instructions to gain positions of prominence in community organizations.

(CG T-4 on 7/28/58).

ANTHONY STEPHENS, former International Vice-President and Director of Organization of the UPWA some two years ago, instituted a program within the UPWA which was designed to aid the union of CP members. RALPH HELSTEIN, International President of the UPWA, apparently noting that STEPHENS would achieve some success, reportedly approached STEPHENS in behalf of the CP and agreed to discharge ISADORE RICHARD DURHAM and OSCAR BROWN, JR. in return for STEPHENS' promise to leave HAYES alone. Such "deal" was reportedly made by the CP for the sole purpose of "saving" HAYES.

(CG [REDACTED] on 9/30/58).

Concerning ANTHONY STEPHENS and RALPH HELSTEIN, the former was described by CG T-5 during November, 1958 as having admitted to attending a CP convention in New York City in the past, whereas the latter was described by CG T-3 during May, 1954 as having reportedly been a CP member for a period of time, presumably during the 1940's.

An official of the UPWA District Number One in either February, 1954 or February, 1955, arranged to use the residence of this informant for what he said was to be a CP meeting. The union official instructed that the informant was not to attend the meeting and was not to observe any of the persons in attendance. Eight or more persons were nevertheless observed attending the meeting, four of whom were recognized, and one of the latter was HAYES.

(CG T-6 on 4/10/57).

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HAYES cannot be definitely identified as being a CP member at the present time, however, according to information imparted by other persons, he was a member in the past but left the CP because of the Taft-Hartley Law.

(CG T-6 on 4/10/57).

OSCAR BROWN, JR. reportedly has developed much bitterness for HAYES because of the latter's action in discharging him from his union job. BROWN is supposed to have expressed the opinion that he did not care if HAYES should be prosecuted for being a "Communist."

(CG T-6 on 7/9/58).

HAYES, in August, 1957, was characterized by two CP members as being an individual with whom the undersigned individual could work.

(CG T-7 on 8/14/57).

The desirability of having a committee from a certain section of the CP of Illinois seek an interview with RALPH HELSTEIN and HAYES, both reported to be members of the Illinois AFL-CIO's Committee Against Discrimination, for the purpose of discussing some anti-discrimination problems was a topic of discussion at one of the meetings of that CP Section held in January, 1959. It was thereafter reported by a member at a CP meeting later in January, 1959 that the desired meeting had been had with HAYES and that he had been cooperative and helpful in solving the problem discussed with him.

(CG T-8 on 1/20; 2/6/59).

HAYES has privately discussed his scheduled appearances before the HCUA with the undersigned source at which time HAYES, though admitting he had had some connections with the CP in the past, asserted he was not a current CP member but was in fact opposed to Communism.

(CG T-9 on 4/29/59).

The testimony of certain individuals who testified before the HCUA at Chicago in May, 1959 was discussed at a Section Committee meeting of a certain CP Section in Chicago

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on May 14, 1959. One of the CP leaders present asserted that HAYES had "sold out packing" to the Committee.

(CG T-10 on 5/18/59).

CLAUDE LIGHTFOOT, during the latter part of May, 1959, made the statement to a group of CP members that HAYES was a CP member years ago but that HAYES now will have nothing to do with [REDACTED]

(CG T-11 on 5/22/59).

HAYES, in response to a subpoena, testified at the HCUA hearings held at Chicago on May 5-7, 1959. The synopsis of the HCUA transcript had the following to say regarding HAYES' testimony:

"CHARLES A. HAYES of Chicago, Director of District One of the United Packinghouse Workers, appeared in response to a subpoena. Mr. HAYES denied current membership in the Communist Party, but declined to answer whether he had been a member of the Communist Party since the passage of the law requiring a non-Communist affidavit of certain labor officials and whether he resigned technical membership in the Communist Party so that he could avoid the impact of the law, basing his declination on the ground that his answer might tend to incriminate him."

Current Informant Contacts

Confidential informants who are familiar with some phases of CP activity in the Chicago area advised during February, 1960 that they had no additional information concerning HAYES.

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Witnesses Appendix

CG T-1 is currently furnishing information to the FBI.

CG T-2 is currently furnishing information to the FBI.

CG T-3 is currently furnishing information to the FBI.

CG T-4 is not willing to testify.

CG T-5 is currently furnishing information to the FBI.

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*In Reply, Please Refer to
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

**Chicago, Illinois
February 16, 1959**

**CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR - MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND
DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1949 - SECURITY
MATTER**

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent Leland G. Richie, dated and captioned as above.

Confidential informants mentioned in referenced report have all furnished reliable information in the past.

This memorandum is loaned to you by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and neither it nor its contents are to be distributed outside the agency to which loaned.

SAC, Chicago (158-12)

March 2, 1960

Director, FBI (158-76)

CHARLES ALFRED HAYES
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING
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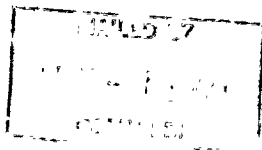
Reference report of Special Agent Leland G. Richie dated 2-16-60 at Chicago.

The subject's employment as a district director of a union does not appear to be either clerical or custodian in nature. The Bureau is not requesting Department's opinion in this matter as to whether the position is within the purview of Section 504 of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959. Your investigation in this matter should continue.

In the event there appears to be a question pertaining to subject's position as to whether it falls within the purview of Section 504, you should request the Bureau to discuss this matter with the Department.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (158-76)

DATE: 4/21/60

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from
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (158-12)

SUBJECT: CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR - MANAGEMENT REPORTING
AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959;
SECURITY MATTER

Rerep of SA LELAND G. RICHIE dated 2/16/60 at
Chicago and Bureau letter to Chicago dated 3/2/60.

It appears that HAYES' position falls within the
purview of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure
Act of 1959.

The files of the Chicago Division have been re-
viewed and all pertinent information has been set forth in
the referenced report.

It is requested that the Bureau present this
case to the department for a prosecutive opinion.

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CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING
AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 -
SECURITY MATTER

Reurlet 4-21-60 and report of SA Leland G.
Richie dated 2-16-60 at Chicago.

Referenced report has been disseminated to
the Department for consideration by the Department
as to prosecutive opinion. Your office will be promptly
advised when the Department renders an opinion in this
matter.

It appears that all investigation has been
completed in this case and you can place the case in
a pending inactive status for a six-months period.
You should remain alert for any Communist Party activity
on the part of the subject and conduct any necessary
investigation before the expiration of the six-months
period in order the results can be submitted to the
Bureau at the end of this period.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont *AB*

DATE: May 27, 1960

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner *MB*SUBJECT: CHARLES A. HAYES
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING
AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 -
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By letter dated 5-20-60, Assistant Attorney General J. Walter Yeagley, Internal Security Division, requested that Anthony Thomas Stephens (Tony Stevens) and Clayton Sayles be interviewed to ascertain if they possess any information which would indicate that Charles A. Hayes is in violation of Section 504 of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959. This request was based on information received by the Department from the Bureau of Labor-Management Reports, U. S. Department of Labor. Hayes is the director of District 1 of the United Packinghouse Workers of America (UPWA), Chicago, Illinois, and was reportedly a member of the Communist Party from 1955 to 1958. Investigative report in this matter was previously furnished the Department.

Stephens is a former international vice president of the UPWA, AFL-CIO; he was not re-elected to this position at the convention of this union in May of 1958. In October, 1958, Stephens wrote a letter to George Meany, president of the AFL-CIO, alleging that he had not been supported for re-election by union leadership due to charges he had made regarding communism in the UPWA. Stephens subsequently submitted affidavits to Meany in support of his charges. The UPWA took the position that Stephens was merely a disgruntled employee seeking to regain his position in the union.

Chicago, by letter dated 12-9-58, requested authority to interview Stephens for information he might have regarding communist infiltration in the UPWA. This request was not granted at that time as the Bureau considered that the possibility of embarrassment through such an interview outweighed the value of the information which Stephens may have possessed. In view of the fact that the interview would have followed closely Stephens' attack on the UPWA, the Bureau felt that Stephens would attempt to publicize any contact with him by the FBI for his own use.

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Memorandum for Mr. Belmont
RE: CHARLES A. HAYES
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING
AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 -
SECURITY MATTER
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Bufile fails to indicate any subversive information
pertaining to Clayton Sayles.

OBSERVATIONS:

Although we previously refused Chicago authority on 12-22-58 to interview Stephens generally concerning communist infiltration of the UPWA as this appeared to be an intraunion squabble which offered a possibility of embarrassment to the Bureau, it is believed that we should accede to the Department's request and interview Stephens specifically on what information he has concerning Hayes. Stephens should be advised that the interview is at the request of the Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security Division, of the Department of Justice and is to ascertain what specific information he has concerning possible violation of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act. There appears to be no reason why Sayles should not be interviewed.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that Chicago and Indianapolis be instructed to interview Stephens and Sayles for any information in their possession pertaining to Charles A. Hayes. A suggested letter is attached.

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1 - Mr. Belmont
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1 - Mr. Palmer

SAC, Chicago (158-12)

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CHARLES A. HAYES
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING
AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 -
SECURITY MATTER
OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CHICAGO

Enclosed for each office is one copy of a self-explanatory letter dated 5-20-60 from Assistant Attorney General J. Walter Yeagley, Internal Security Division, requesting that interviews be conducted in this matter.

The Chicago Office is authorized to interview Anthony Thomas Stephens, 10802 Prospect Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, former international vice president of the United Packinghouse Workers of America (UPWA), who is listed in the enclosed letter as Tony Stevens. Stephens should be advised that this interview is at the specific request of the Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security Division of the Department of Justice. Your interview of Stephens should be to ascertain what specific information he has in his possession concerning possible violation of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act on the part of Charles A. Hayes. In the event during the interview he volunteers other information pertaining to communist activity in the UPWA, you should report it in the appropriate file.

The Indianapolis Office should interview Clayton Sayles unless files indicate a reason why this interview would be undesirable. If there is a reason Indianapolis feels that Sayles should not be interviewed, immediately advise the Bureau with recommendation.

The results of these interviews should be submitted within two weeks from the date of this letter in a form suitable for dissemination. You are reminded that the Agent time spent in this matter should be made available at the time results of interview are submitted.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: May 20, 1960

FROM : J. Walter Yeagley
 Assistant Attorney General
 Internal Security Division

SUBJECT: CHARLES A. HAYES
 LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND
 DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 -
 SECURITY MATTER

The Bureau of Labor-Management Reports, United States Department of Labor has submitted the above matter for our consideration. In this regard information was received from Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hardesty, 2104 North Reserve Street, Muncie, Indiana that the subject, the District Director of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, invoked his privilege under the 5th Amendment when he testified before the House Committee on Un-American Activities in May 1959. Mr. and Mrs. Hardesty also indicated that Tony Stevens, 10882 Prospect Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, and Clayton Sayles, President of Local 117, Indianapolis, Indiana may be in a position to furnish additional information with regard to Hayes.

It is noted that extensive investigation has been conducted concerning the Communist Party activities of the subject. While there is information in the investigative reports which indicates Communist Party connections on his part extending to as late as 1958, nonetheless, the evidence reflected in the reports is insufficient to establish that he has actually held membership in the Communist Party subsequent to approximately 1950.

To aid us in arriving at a determination in this matter, it is requested that Mr. Stevens and Mr. Sayles, mentioned above, be interviewed to ascertain if they possess any information which indicates that Hayes is in violation of Section 504, Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959. We would also appreciate receiving any new information which may have been developed reflecting upon Hayes' activities in the communist movement.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, CHICAGO

FROM SAC, INDIANAPOLIS /158-6/ 1P

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INDICES NEGATIVE RE SUBJECT, MR. AND MRS. GILBERT
HARDESTY, AND CONTAIN NO DEROGATORY INFO RE CLAYOTN SAYLES.
INDIANAPOLIS OFFICE HOLDING INTERVIEW WITH SAYLES IN
ABEYANCE PENDING RECEIPT OF ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
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TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SACS, INDIANAPOLIS AND LOS ANGELES
FROM SAC, CHICAGO 158-12

CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES, LMRDA OF FIFTYNINE DASH SM. OO.. CHICAGO.
RE INDIANAPOLIS TELETYPE TO CHICAGO JUNE EIGHT, LAST. HAYES
IS DIRECTOR OF DISTRICT ONE OF THE UNITED PACKINGHOUSE
WORKERS OF AMERICA, AFL-CIO PARENTHESIS UPWA PARENTHESIS,
CHICAGO AND REPORTEDLY WAS A CP MEMBER FROM FIFTYFIVE TO
FIFTYEIGHT AND ALSO PRIOR TO THIS PERIOD. FOR INFO OF
INDIANAPOLIS, CHICAGO FILES CONTAIN NO INFO RE CLAYTON SAYLES
OR MR. AND MRS. GILBERT HARDESTY. [REDACTED]

PAREN PROTECT IDENTITY END OF PAREN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] STATED THAT LEWIS H. ROACH, WHO NOW RESIDES WITH HIS
MOTHER AT ONE ONE FIVE EAST FIVE TWO STREET, LOS ANGELES, WAS
A STAFF MEMBER OF THE UPWA UNTIL FIFTY DASH EIGHT. [REDACTED]
STATED ROACH TOLD HIM IN FIFTY DASH NINE AND SIXTY THAT WHILE
ROACH WAS WITH THE UPWA HAYES ASKED ROACH WHY HE DID NOT JOIN
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SAC, Chicago (122-187)(158-12)

June 10, 1960

Director, FBI (122-1496)(158-76)

CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT, 1947
(SECURITY MATTER)

for
CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND
DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 - SECURITY MATTER

Hayes filed noncommunist affidavits through 1959 and is currently a union district director. The investigation to secure evidence of his Communist Party membership in these two cases will cover approximately the same periods. Therefore you are authorized to handle these two cases under a dual caption in one file in the future. The 158 file should be used to simplify routing at the Bureau.

Your office is currently conducting an investigation in the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959 case based on Bulet dated 5-31-60. If this letter is received before a report covering this investigation is submitted that report should be submitted under the dual caption. If a report has already been submitted a report under the dual caption will be due on or before 9-8-60.

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TO DIRECTOR FBI, AND SAC, CHICAGO

FROM SAC, INDIANAPOLIS /158-6/ 1P

CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES, LMRDA OF FIFTYNINE DASH SM. RE CHICAGO
TEL TO BUREAU JUNE NINE LAST. CLAYTON H. SAYLES, FORMER
FIELD REPRESENTATIVE, UPWA, ADVISED HE HAS NO SPECIFIC INFO
CONCERNING VIOLATION OF CAPTIONED ACT BY SUBJECT. STATED
HE HEARD MR. PAREN FNU PAREN PROCTOR, BUILDING MGR., UPWA
HEADQUARTERS, CHICAGO, TELL SEVERAL UNION MEMBERS TWO
YEARS AGO THAT SUBJECT AND PROCTOR WERE CP MEMBERS SEVERAL
YEARS AGO BUT HE, PROCTOR, HAD DROPPED OUT OF CP DUE TO
DISSATISFACTION. CHICAGO WILL CONSIDER INTERVIEWING
PROCTOR. REPORT FOLLOWS.

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Mr. Belmont

cc: Mr. Hall

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REPORT MADE AT INDIANAPOLIS	DATE WHEN MADE 6/13/60	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 6/10/60	REPORT MADE BY WAYNE G. HUNT /mqc
TITLE CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES			CHARACTER OF CASE LMRDA OF 1959 - SM

~~SYNOPSIS OF FACTS~~

References: Bulet to CG, 5/31/60.
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One-fourth day of Agent time was spent in this investigation.

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Copy to:

Report of: Wayne G. Hunt
Date: 6/13/60
File Number: 158-6
Title: CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES

Office: Indianapolis

Bureau File #: 158-76

Character: LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 -
SECURITY MATTER

Synopsis: CLAYTON H. SAYLES, Indianapolis, Indiana, former Field Representative, United Packinghouse Workers of America, (UPWA) advised that he has known subject for approximately four years but has no personal knowledge that subject has ever been a member of the Communist Party. Stated that he heard (FNU) PROCTOR, Building Manager, UPWA, Chicago, Illinois, say that subject had been a member of the CP prior to 1952 and the CP had requested him to support HAYES for District Director of the UPWA in 1952.

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DETAILS:

AT INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

Mr. CLAYTON H. SAYLES, 2243 North Rural Street, Indianapolis, advised SA's JOHN PAUL JETER and WAYNE G. HUNT on June 10, 1960, that he has been a member of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, AFL-CIO (UPWA), Local 117, Indianapolis, Indiana, for the past fourteen years. He is presently employed as a laborer at Hygrade Food Products Corporation, Indianapolis, Indiana.

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Mr. SAYLES stated he was employed as Field Representative for the UPWA in the State of Indiana and Chicago, Illinois from 1953 until November, 1959, when he was released, according to the District Headquarters, UPWA, due to a reduction in force. He stated he has never been President of Local 117, Indianapolis, Indiana.

He stated that he has known CHESTER ARTHUR HAYES, District Director of the UPWA, Chicago, Illinois, for approximately four years but has had no personal contact with him since his (SAYLES) release as Field Representative. He stated for two years prior to his release as Field Representative for the UPWA, he worked closely with HAYES and saw him on the average of once to twice a week. He stated at no time did HAYES give him any indication that he was a member of the Communist Party (CP), had ever been a member of the CP, or ever believed in its principles.

Mr. SAYLES stated that prior to the convention of the UPWA which was held in New York, New York, two years ago, several members of the UPWA, Chicago, Illinois, urged him (SAYLES) to run against HAYES for District Director of the UPWA, Chicago, Illinois, and he agreed to do so but when he reached New York to attend the Convention everything was "cut and dried" in favor of HAYES so he did not enter his name as a candidate. While he was in ~~New~~ New York attending this convention he heard Mr. (FNU) PROCTOR, who is presently the Building Manager of the UPWA's Headquarters, Chicago, Illinois, state to several union members in PROCTOR's hotel room that he (PROCTOR) and HAYES had been members of the CP prior to 1952, but he (PROCTOR) dropped out of the Party when he found out that the main purpose of the Party was not to help the Negroes as he had been led to believe.

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Mr. SAYLES stated that PROCTOR further advised that prior to the convention of the UPWA held in Sioux City, Iowa, in 1952, PROCTOR was requested by the CP to support HAYES for District Director. SAYLES stated he recalled no further details concerning this conversation and was of the opinion that PROCTOR would be reluctant to furnish any pertinent information concerning HAYES, if he possessed any, in view of his present position with the UPWA.

Mr. SAYLES advised that he was positive that he was released as Field Representative by HAYES because of his intentions to run against HAYES for the position of District Director of District No. 1, Chicago, Illinois, about two years ago. He stated that Mrs. GILBERT HARDESTY, Muncie, Indiana, was also dismissed from a good paying position at Marhoefer Packing Company, Inc., Muncie, Indiana, a few years ago, apparently upon instructions of HAYES and the HARDESTY's are very bitter toward him. He stated he was never too impressed with the HARDESTY's and did not know of any information possessed by them which would be of any value in this matter.

The CP-USA, has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (158-76)
FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (158-12)
SUBJECT: CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LMRDA OF 1959 - SM

Re Indianapolis teletype to the Bureau and Chicago dated 6/10/60 and report of SA LELAND G. RICHIE dated 6/10/60 at Chicago.

Public hearings of a subcommittee of the House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA) were held on May 5-7, 1959 in Chicago.

CHARLES ALFRED PROCTOR, JR., in response to a subpoena, testified at the hearings. The synopsis of the HCUA transcript had the following to say regarding his testimony:

"Charles Proctor of Covert, Michigan, who had been identified as a member of the Communist Party in the instant hearings by Joseph Poskonka and by John Hackney, appeared in response to a subpoena and testified that he is manager of the Packinghouse Labor and Community Center; that he was one-time Chairman of the Grievance Committee for Local 28 of the United Packinghouse Workers in Chicago. When a number of documents were exhibited to Mr. Proctor respecting his participation in certain Communist enterprises, he refused to comment, basing his refusal on the ground that his answer might tend to incriminate him. Mr. Proctor denied that he had been a member of the Communist Party any time in the course of the preceding five years but refused to answer whether he had ever been a member of the Communist Party on the ground that his answer might tend to incriminate him."

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An attempt to interview PROCTOR was made on 1/20/59 and he was uncooperative.

In view of the above, Chicago contemplates no interview of PROCTOR, AT THIS TIME.

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Reporting Office LOS ANGELES	Office of Origin CHICAGO	Date 6/14/60	Investigative Period 6/9-13/60
TITLE OF CASE CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES		Report made by CLAUDE E. WILLIS, Jr.	Typed By: hsl
		CHARACTER OF CASE LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 - SECURITY MATTER	

REFERENCE

Chicago teletype to Director dated 6/9/60.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

Thirteen Agent hours were expended in the investigation of this case at Los Angeles.

Copies of this report are being designated for the Indianapolis and San Francisco Offices for possible reference in the future, in the event leads are set out by the Chicago Office to interview persons referred to in this report who are currently residing within their territories.

No lead is being set out by the Los Angeles Office since it is not known by this Office what previous investigation has been conducted. However, it is being left to the discretion of Chicago, Office of Origin, to set out appropriate leads.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of: CLAUDE E. WILLIS, JR. Office: Los Angeles, Calif.
Date: 6/14/60
Field Office File No.: Los Angeles 158-26 Bureau File No.:
Title: CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES

Character: LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND
DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 - SECURITY
MATTER

Synopsis:

LEWIS ROACH, Compton, California, advised on 6/10 and 6/13/60 that CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES had been alleged to have been affiliated with a Communist cell block in Chicago made up of packinghouse workers. CHARLES PROCTOR, a member of the Communist Party (CP), revealed to leaders of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, AFL-CIO, (UPWA) in 1958 that HAYES attended a CP meeting as late as March, 1958. In 1957 HAYES asked ROACH why he did not "expand his scope outside the Union".

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DETAILS:

Date June 13, 1960

LEWIS ROACH resides at 1730 East 124th Street and is employed by the California Department of Employment, 212 East Arbutus Street, both Compton, California.

ROACH stated he was formerly a staff member of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, AFL-CIO (UPWA) Union in Chicago, Illinois, from 1949 until 1958.

While a member of this Union, ROACH was closely associated with CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES, who became Director of District No. 1 of the Union.

In 1957 ROACH heard rumors that HAYES had attempted to enlist Negro members of the Union in the Communist cause. On one occasion in 1957, HAYES, in a conversation with ROACH, asked ROACH why he did not "expand his scope outside the Union." Although HAYES did not specifically name any group, ROACH stated that in his opinion HAYES was apparently referring to the Communist Party (CP).

ROACH stated that this interpretation of HAYES' remarks is strictly an opinion, however, because at no time did HAYES ever mention specifically the CP to him.

ROACH recalled that in about early 1957, HAYES was present at a discussion with UPWA Union members in connection with an individual who was attempting to identify himself with District No. 6, UPWA, where charges were made that this individual had been connected with the CP in New York. Some of the members criticized the individual's CP connections. HAYES then made the statement that the CP had given birth to the trade union movement and that the Union should not be the first to cast stones at those who support the Negroes and the working class.

ROACH further stated that CHARLES PROCTOR, who had been identified as a CP member, who was a member of the Union in 1958 in Chicago, met with a group of the Union leaders sometime between March 11 and 15, 1958 at the Evans Hotel in Chicago. Those present at that meeting were ANTHONY T. STEPHENS, former Vice President of the Union; CATHERINE BROSNAN, former International Representative (now married and living in San Francisco); HERMAN WALKER,

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On 6/10/60 & 6/13/60 at Compton, California File # LA 158-26
by SA's CLAUDE E. WILLIS, Jr., and LESTER H. EICHERLY/hsl Date dictated 6/13/60

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former President of Local No. 117, now in Indianapolis; SIDNEY JOHNSON, Editor of District No. 1, UPWA Newspaper, "The Champion"; CLAYTON SAYLES, now in Indianapolis; and LEWIS ROACH, himself.

CHARLES PROCTOR at this meeting stated that he, PROCTOR, had been a member of the CP and that CHARLES HAYES had been his instructor in a Communist cell block in 1950 and 1951 in Chicago made up of packinghouse workers. PROCTOR also identified JESSIE PROSTEN, Head of the Grievance Department of the International Union UPWA as a member of the group, and that SAM PARKS was a CP cell leader. SAM PARKS is no longer affiliated with the Union and is operating a service station in Chicago. PROCTOR said that in a Communist cell meeting prior to the UPWA International Convention in Chicago in 1954, a movement was initiated to "dump" HAROLD NIELSON, Director of District No. 1, UPWA, and to replace him with CHARLES HAYES. ROACH stated that HAYES was subsequently elected.

PROCTOR also reported to the group that in a larger CP meeting in Chicago in 1954, techniques and methods of capturing control of the political strength of the Union was unveiled. Cell leaders were to be set up in all sections of the country in all eight of the Districts outside of the South. International President, RALPH ~~WELSTEIN~~ wife was reportedly in attendance at that meeting.

PROCTOR then revealed that in a CP cell meeting held just two nights before this meeting in March, 1958, where CHARLES HAYES was also in attendance, orders had been given that ANTHONY T. STEPHENS, then Union Vice President, be defeated. A warning was given that any field representative who supported STEPHENS would be removed from the Union. The allegation was made that STEPHENS had documented evidence of CP cells within the UPWA, including affidavits.

ED ~~HOLGREN~~, husband of MARTHA ~~HOLGREN~~, who worked as Secretary of the International Office in Chicago, was also present at this meeting.

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APPENDIX - WITNESS

LEWIS ROACH advised on June 13, 1960 that he would be willing to testify in this matter in a court of law or before any hearing board.

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PROCTOR indicated that OSCAR BROWN, an instructor in the same CP cell with CHARLES HAYES, had CP documents in his possession bearing HAYES' signature, but BROWN's wife objected to BROWN making these available to the Union.

The group who heard PROCTOR made the above statements wanted to bring the Communist issue before the International Convention in 1958, but the President of the UPWA, RALPH HELSTEIN, stated that if this issue was raised he would resign. No action, therefore, was taken.

1 - Mr. Hall

Assistant Attorney General
J. Walter Yeagley

June 21, 1960

Director, FBI 158-76 12

CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING
AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 -
SECURITY MATTER

Reference is made to your letter dated May 20, 1960, and the report of Special Agent Leland G. Richie dated February 16, 1960, at Chicago, Illinois, one copy of which was furnished to you.

There is enclosed one copy of the report of Special Agent Richie dated June 10, 1960, at Chicago, Illinois. For your information T-1 in the enclosed report is [redacted] who is identical with the [redacted] mentioned in your referenced letter. [redacted] requested that his identity not be disclosed.

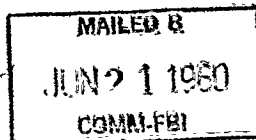
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NOTE ON YELLOW:

Referenced Department letter requested that [redacted] be interviewed, therefore, it is necessary to identify T-1 to the Department as [redacted]

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Reporting Office CHICAGO	Office of Origin CHICAGO	Date 6/10/60	Investigative Period 6/8 - 6/10/60
TITLE OF CASE CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES		Report made by LELAND G. RICHIE	Typed By: hjb/mab
		CHARACTER OF CASE LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 - SECURITY MATTER	

Synopsis:

REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Chicago dated 5/31/60.

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AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. Will follow and report any Communist Party (CP) activity on the part of HAYES that falls within the purview of the Labor - Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Careful consideration has been given to the source concealed and a T symbol was utilized in this report only in that instance where the identity of the source must be concealed.

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Four agent hours were used to prepare this report. //

The statements made to CG T-1 that HAYES was a CP member were made to CG T-1 by ISADORE RICHARD DURHAM, OSCAR BROWN, JR., and SAM PARKS, former employees of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, AFL-CIO (UPWA) who were CP members at that time. This evidence is heresay evidence on the part of T-1.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to:

Report of: **SA LELAND G. RICHIE**
Date: **6/10/60**

Office: **CHICAGO**

File Number: **Chicago 158-12**

Bureau 158-76

Title: **CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES**

Character: **LABOR - MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND
DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 - SECURITY MATTER**

Synopsis:

Several persons during 1956 and 1958 told CG T-1 that HAYES was a Communist Party (CP) member. HAYES was not present when statements were made. CG T-1 has no knowledge of HAYES ever being a CP member.

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DETAILS: AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

The Communist Party (CP), USA, mentioned in this report, has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

I. AFFILIATION WITH COMMUNIST
PARTY, USA (CP)

CG T-1 stated he has known CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES since the middle 1940s. He stated that in 1956 and 1958 several persons who were self-admitted CP members and who were then employees of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, AFL-CIO (UPWA) told him that HAYES was a CP member. He stated HAYES was not present when these statements were made. He stated he has no personal knowledge that HAYES was ever a member of the CP.

(CG T-1, 6/8/60)

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WITNESS APPENDIX

CG T-1 is available but not willing to testify.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Chicago, Illinois

June 10, 1960

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 158-12

CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR - MANAGEMENT REPORTING
AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 -
SECURITY MATTER

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent Leland G. Richie dated and captioned as above at Chicago.

CG T-1, mentioned in referenced report, has furnished insufficient information to judge reliability.

This memorandum is loaned to you by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and neither it nor its contents are to be distributed outside the agency to which loaned.

1 - Mr. Floyd
1 - Mr. Hall

SAC, Chicago (158-12)

August 18, 1960

Director, FBI (158-76)

CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING
AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959 -
SECURITY MATTER

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (158-76)

DATE: August 18, 1960

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FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (158-12)

SUBJECT: CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT, 1947
(SECURITY MATTER)
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE ACT
OF 1959--SECURITY MATTER
OO: CHICAGO

Re report of SA LELAND G. RICHIE, dated 2/16/60,
at Chicago; report of SA LELAND G. RICHIE, dated 6/10/60,
and Bulet to Chicago, 6/10/60.

COMMUNIST PARTY (CP) CONNECTIONS

The Chicago Office files fail to reflect any
information concerning CP activities on the part of HAYES
subsequent to the referenced reports.

The following confidential informants who have
furnished reliable information in the past and who are
familiar with certain phases of CP activities in the Chicago,
Illinois area were contacted and advised they could furnish
no information concerning HAYES:

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EMPLOYMENT AND RESIDENCE

HAYES is the Director of the United Packinghouse,

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Food and Allied Workers, AFL-CIO (UPFAW) District Number 1 with headquarters at 4859 South Wabash, Chicago. This Union was formerly known as the United Packinghouse Workers of America, AFL-CIO but at the Union's International Convention held in Chicago, May 23-27, 1960, the name of this Union was changed to UPFAW.

HAYES continues to reside in an apartment at 5471 South Ingleside, Chicago.

ACTION TAKEN

Inasmuch as there has been no CP activity on the part of HAYES to report since referenced reports, this case is being placed in a pending inactive status by the Chicago Office. The next communication in this case will be submitted to reach the Bureau on or before six months from the date of this letter.

One Agent hour was used to prepare the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959- Security Matter aspect of this letter.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (158-76)

DATE: September 2, 1960

JML
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (158-12)

SUBJECT: CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR - MANAGEMENT REPORTING
AND DISCLOSURE ACT OF 1959
(SECURITY MATTER)
(OO: CHICAGO)

Re Bureau letter dated August 18, 1960, captioned as above.

In view of the contents of referenced Bureau letter particularly that relating to the Labor-Management Relations Act-1947 instance, it would appear that our best interests might best be served at this time by not seeking to interview CHARLES HAYES, and UACB no effort will be made to do so.

Chicago's 100-18701 case on HAYES is therefore being placed in a closed status on the basis of this letter, and captioned matter is being retained in a pending inactive status.

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Enclosed are two copies of a letter from Assistant Attorney General J. Walter Yeagley dated October 13, 1960, pertaining to captioned individual.

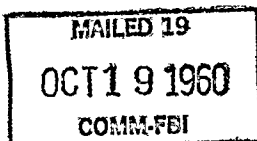
It is noted that the Department has concluded that from a review of reports submitted in this case investigation fails to establish that the subject has actually held membership in the Communist Party (CP) after approximately 1950 and that there is insufficient evidence at this time to establish CP membership within the period prohibited by Section 504 of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959.

Based on the Department's conclusion, your office can close this case. In the event information is later developed that Hayes has held membership in the CP within the prescribed period of Section 504, this matter should be reopened and the Bureau promptly advised.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: October 13 1960

FROM: J. Walter Yeagley
Assistant Attorney General
Internal Security DivisionSUBJECT: CHARLES ARTHUR HAYES
LABOR-MANAGEMENT REPORTING
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This is in reference to our memorandum dated May 20, 1960 and the subsequent correspondence and investigative reports which we have received in this matter.

It is noted that in the interviews conducted with [redacted] and Clayton H. Sayles, they both claimed no personal or direct knowledge of any Communist Party membership on the part of the subject. While Lewis Roach has advised that he heard rumors to the effect that Hayes was a Communist Party member and on one occasion was informed that the subject attended a Communist Party meeting during March of 1958, he has no personal knowledge that Hayes was ever a member of the Communist Party.

As was pointed out in our memorandum of May 20, 1960, while there is information indicative of Communist Party connections on the part of Hayes extending to as late as 1958, nonetheless, the evidence reflected in the reports is insufficient to establish that he has actually held membership in the Communist Party after approximately 1950. Since the subsequent investigation conducted in this matter has failed to develop any additional evidence, it is our conclusion that there is insufficient evidence at this time to establish Communist Party membership on the part of the subject within the period prohibited by Section 504 of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959. We will, however, appreciate being advised as to any newly developed evidence.

The United States Department of Labor has been informed as to the decision which we reached in this matter.

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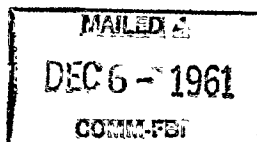
ReBulet dated October 19, 1960, captioned as above and report of SA Robert Francis Barry captioned "Communist Infiltration of United Packinghouse, Food and Allied Workers, AFL-CIO, Internal Security - C," dated October 17, 1961, at Chicago.

Your attention is directed to page 17 of referenced report wherein it is stated that captioned subject was a member of the Communist Party four or five years ago. Referenced Bulet points out that based on available information the Department was of the opinion that insufficient evidence had been developed showing subject's Communist Party membership subsequent to 1950.

In view of the statement contained on page 17 of referenced report, advise the Bureau if any information has been developed subsequent to October, 1960, establishing Communist Party membership on the part of the subject within the past five years.

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REFERENCE: Chicago letter to Bureau dated 10/22/59 and SAC letter #60-8 dated 2/4/60. *157-1-1*

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Will await Department decision as to whether HAYES' union position falls within the purview of the Labor - Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959.

ADMINISTRATIVE

This report contains both admissible and inadmissible evidence. The inadmissible evidence was included because of the limited amount of admissible evidence and because it was felt that certain information concerning HAYES' union activities,

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